FIRE EQUIPMENT OPERATOR

(Promotional Class)

GENERAL STATEMENT OF DUTIES

This is responsible and skilled fire fighting work involving the operation of apparatus and equipment, and the protection of life and property through fire prevention, rescue, and the extinguishing of fires. Work involves the protection of life and property, prevention of fire hazards, and general duties relating to the care and use of departmental equipment and property. Employees of this class are responsible for driving assigned fire apparatus to and from the scene of fires and emergencies and operating pumps and other equipment as required. Work is performed under the direction of a superior officer.

EXAMPLES OF WORK

(Examples listed below are illustrative only and are not intended to be inclusive or exclusive.)

Drives, operates, cleans, and maintains assigned fire fighting apparatus.

Makes written and oral reports where necessary.

Participates in general fire prevention, rescue, and fire fighting work, when necessary.

Attends and participates in training sessions.

Performs related duties as required.

QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Unless otherwise specified, all requirements listed below must be met before the filing deadline for application for admission to the test.

Must meet all requirements of the Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Law, including being a citizen of the United States and of legal age.

After offer of promotion, but before beginning work in this class, must pass a physical examination, the selection and administration of which shall be authorized by the Appointing Authority, designed to demonstrate good health and physical fitness sufficient to perform the essential duties of the position, with or without accommodation.

Must possess a valid driver's license.

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Must be a regular and permanent employee in the class of Firefighter for at least two years in that class with the department immediately preceding the closing date for application to the board.

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